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Dear Ms. Henney:

I strongly urge you to ban the use in animal feed of antibiotics which are medically useful to humans. Adding antibiotics to feed in order to promote growth can, as you know, make bacteria resistant to those antibiotics. And, in turn, that resistance limits the ways physicians can treat life-threatening bacterial infections in humans. As you also know, this resistance by bacteria to antibiotics has become a HUGE medical problem in the United States.

Thank you for your time, attention, and help.

Sincerely,

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